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THE BANKS OF THE STATE

Preliminary Arrangements for the Encampment at Morehead—The Anti-Saloon League Applies for an Election in September.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

RALPHIGH, N. C., July 15.—The Cotton Manufacturers' Association, of Charleston, was chartered to-day, with \$10,000 capital, the objects specified being to extend, encourage, investigation and experiment scientific methods of cotton and textile manufacturing, gather and promulgate information as to cotton manufacturing and textile arts, provide social intercourse between cotton manufacturers, establish libraries of textile works, etc.

The capital is divided in 2,000 shares of \$5 each. Active members are confined to cotton mill presidents, treasurers, agents, managers and superintendents. Others engaged in cotton mill and kindred work can become associate members. The incorporators are W. C. Heath, M. R. S. Reinhardt, Lincoln; E. W. Thomas, Columbia, S. C.; B. W. Hunt, Elberton, Ga.; Thomas M. Swift, Elberton, Ga.

THE BANKS. Reports of the condition of State, private and savings banks at the close of business June 30, show that the resources of private banks in the State declined since the previous report, April 9th, from \$1,250,186 to \$209,613. This is accounted for by the fact that quite a number of private banks have changed from private to State banks under the operation of the new State banking law. The aggregate of resources of the three classes, State, private and savings banks, is \$28,970,771.22 against \$24,850,638, giving an increase of \$4,120,133.22.

Colonel W. E. Gary, assistant postmaster, and Colonel J. C. Michie, of Durham, left to-day for Morehead, to make preliminary arrangements for the encampment of the Second regiment, the movement for which begins July 22d.

MEDICAL CORPS.

An official copy of Adjutant-General Royce's general order creating the medical department of the North Carolina National Guard, was forwarded to-day to Colonel R. S. Young, surgeon-general, who will, as soon as possible after its receipt, appoint a full staff of officers. These appointments have heretofore been made by the regimental commanders at the request of the Surgeon-General. The order is called for next Tuesday by President W. N. Jones for this purpose. The election will probably be in September. "We are now out of the woods in the matter of assurance of thoroughly creditable exhibit at the St. Louis exposition." It is authoritatively stated that far more floor space will be occupied at St. Louis, which is a previous exposition by North Carolina.

SWELLING THE CENSUS

Fifteen Families a Week Move to Greensboro.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) GREENSBORO, N. C., July 15.—According to the record of the freight office at the railway station here, an average of fifteen families move to Greensboro each week. This only takes into account those who ship their household furniture here, and does not include those who come in by wagon, or who buy new outfits of household goods after arriving, or young men marrying girls somewhere else and starting in new homes here.

The Southside Hose Company will hold an election next week to determine the officers and members of the company. The company shall accompany them to the firemen's tournament at Durham.

Almost thirty members of the Greensboro Lodge of Elks will attend the great Elks' reunion at Baltimore next week, leaving here Monday. Their uniform will be strictly in the swim. Double-breasted red flannel coats, with double rows of big brass buttons, white duck trousers, and a red necktie, with number of lodge embroidered in white figures.

Rev. George Schultz, a colored missionary of the Lutheran Synod of Missouri, has just purchased a lot of land in Greensboro, on which will be erected buildings for a college for colored theological students and teachers in the Lutheran Church of North Carolina.

DAMAGE COMPROMISE

Judge Boyd Declares the Federal Court at Wilkesboro Unlawful.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., July 15.—Polkman J. Adams, a time when the Southern Railway in a claim against the latter for the death of W. E. Neal, which occurred at Danville, March, by the agreement the Southern will pay to the heirs of Mr. Neal \$4,000.

Mr. Neal was in the employ of the Southern at Danville, at the time he was killed, when the collision occurred on the yard there in March. Several people, Mr. Neal was among the number.

He was a young man about twenty years of age, and was a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Neal, of Meadows, Stokes county.

ECZEMA SETS THE SKIN ON FIRE

No disease causes so much bodily discomfort, or itches, and burns like Eczema. Beginning often with a slight redness of the skin it gradually spreads, followed by pustules or blisters from which a gummy, sticky fluid oozes which dries and scales off or forms bad looking sores and scabs. It appears on different parts of the body but oftenest upon the back, arms, hands, legs and face, and is a veritable torment at times, especially at night or when over-heated.

The cause of Eczema is a too acid and general unhealthy condition of the blood. The terrifying itching and burning is produced by the overflow through the glands and pores of the skin of the fiery poisons with which the blood-current is overloaded. While external applications, such as washes, soaps, salves and powders are soothing and cooling they do not enter into the blood itself or touch the real cause of the disease, but S. S. S. does, and purifies, enriches, and strengthens the blood, and Eczema with all its terrifying symptoms disappears.

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CONGRESS WILL ACT

Will Probably Conduct Investigation Into Postal Affairs.

TO CALL EXTRA SESSION

Considered Certain that President Will Convene Congress in November. Many Prominent Men Going to Manassas Horse Show.

(By Associated Press.)

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(Continued from First Page.)

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Prizes Worth Winning.

The prizes that have been offered are well worth all the time and effort that have been expended.

Each of the winning parties will spend a week at one of the following Tee-Dee resorts, leaving Richmond with a round-trip railroad ticket and a receipted bill for their week's accommodations at the hotel of their choice. The prizes are: The Allegany, at Goshen, Va.; The Mecklenburg, at Chase City, Va.; The Jefferson Park, at Charlottesville, Va.

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THE ELKS OF MANCHESTER

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THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN

Will Ask for Appropriation for New Home at Maury Cemetery—Presence of Mind of a Lady—Library Council—Personal Notes.

(By Associated Press.)

Manchesters Bureau Times-Dispatch, 1112 Hull Street. There will be no meeting of Manchester Lodge of Elks next Monday night, owing to the fact that nearly the entire membership will be in Baltimore in attendance upon the meeting of the Grand Lodge. Exalted Ruler Lipscomb said last night that he would carry with him about fifty of the sixty-six members, and hoped to get a prize for the largest percentage of membership in the line of parade.

Those who have already decided to